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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 01/07/2008, please consider the following amendment and remarks:

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